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DIRECTORS ARE MEETING TODAY

TO GO OVER REPORTS AND TO WIND UP BUSINESS OF YEAR.

BEST YEAR IN ITS HISTORY

Association Had Its Best Year In 1919—Annual Meeting Tomorrow.

The board of directors of the Standard Poland China Record association are in session this afternoon at the office of the association to go over reports and to transact other business. Five members of the board are in attendance, being W. G. Garrett, Maryville; James Kennish, Mound City; S. McKelvie, Fairfield, Neb.; N. I. Staples, Burlington Junction; and T. J. Lawe. There are four other members of the board of directors. Hugh M. Cattee of Mound City, president of the association is here for the meeting tomorrow.

A banquet to the visiting members of the association will be given this evening at 6:30 o'clock at the Bainum hotel. Several of the members arrived today at noon.

The annual stockholders meeting will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock in the court house. There will be the election of a president of the association, one vice president from each state, and three directors for the term of three years each. The retiring directors are W. G. Garrett of Maryville, S. McKelvie of Fairfield, Neb., and O. E. [illegible] of Rising City, Neb. They will probably be reelected.

The report for the past year shows an increase of $4,352.10 over the year before. The total receipts were $24,570.99 and were made up of the following: recording $23,342.80; sup[illegible] (246 shares) $4, [illegible] $578.50. It was handy register association. During the past eight years shows more of a percentage increase in business the past two years than ever before. In 1912 the receipts were $7,456.85; in 1913, $8,977; in 1914 $9,292.50; in 1915 $10,459.34; in 1916, $13,545.87, and in 1917, $16,910.25. In 1917 [illegible] shares of stock were sold to [illegible] 238 shares; and in 1919, 246 shares.

29 URGE DEMOCRATS TO MAKE CAMPAIGN ON PEACE TREATY.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Rumor persisted today that the president is planning to urge the Democratic party to make ratification of the peace treaty a test in the coming election. Without crossing of a "t" or dotting of an "i" its chief campaign credence given the [illegible] be the important [illegible] ent would send the [illegible] on Jackson day,

Birth of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hackett of Bolckow announce the birth of a daughter to them Sunday at St. Francis hospital. She has been named Virginia Lee. Mrs. Hackett was formerly Miss Hazel Burks of Pickering.

Birth of Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peery announce the birth of a son Saturday, Jan. 3, to whom they have given the name Frank, Jr.

Electric Theatre

TONIGHT

Last chance to see Earle Williams in "THE WOLF"

A picture of the Northwest Woods

Tonight at 7:30, 9; 17c and 28c

Wednesday, Jan. 7 MAY ALLISON

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Matinee at 2:30 11c and 17c

Night, 7:30, 9 11c and 17c

NOTICE W. O. W.

Fred Smith has been elected clerk of the W. O. W. All members may pay their dues to him at county clerk's office in the court house.

H. S. B. B. TEAM TO PLAY BLANCHARD FRIDAY NIGHT

Anticipate a Hustling Victory to be Won on Iowa Court—Girls Game Friday Night Here.

The high school boys basket ball team will play a game with the Blanchard, Iowa, high school team Friday night at Blanchard.

This is the first game of the season with an outside team and as the Blanchard team is considered a good one the Maryville boys are anticipating a spirited tussle to win. The local team is in good shape and doing some rigid training. The high school girls play their second game of the season with the Hopkins girls team here Friday night.

MOTOR CAR SALES COMPANY AT BURLINGTON JUNCTION

Local Men Organize for Merchandising Hudson and Essex Cars. Will Have Service Station.

So great has been the demand in Nodaway county during the past year for high grade motor cars, that some of the leading business men of this community, after securing the agency for the sale of Hudson and Essex motor cars in this county, have just completed the organization of the Hudson and Essex Sales company of Nodaway county, with headquarters at Burlington Junction, where a full line of Hudson and Essex Motor cars will be displayed.

The organizers of the company are men of unquestionaed financial sanding and reputation and have had several years experience in motor car merchandising.

It is their intention to maintain at all times, if possible, several models of these well known motor cars and to try and anticipate the certain shortage of good motor cars that all authorities agree will face the prospective purchaser in the spring and summer months of 1920.

A recent trip to the factory and a general survey of manufacturing, material and labor conditions has convinced them of the fact that a shortage of motor cars and increased prices must come early in 1920.

It is also the intention of the Hudsan and Essex Sales Company to maintain a service station for the convenience of the many Hudson and Essex owners now residing in Nodaway county and are now completing an organization to carry out their plans.

MILLER AND REAVIS TO ATTEND NATIONAL SHOE MEET.

W. A. Miller and Frank Reavis of the Bee Hive shoe company, will leave tomorrow morning on an eastern trip of several weeks. They will go first to Washington, D. C., to attend the National Shoe Retailers convention and then to Campello, Mass., to attend the convention of Walkover shoe dealers They will then go to New York and take a sight seeing trip through a section of Canada and the Great Lakes country. They expect to be gone about three weeks.

THE ROADS NEED BILLIONS.

Rail Executives Want Government Rental Continued for a Time.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Needs of the railroads in the near future will run into billions of dollars, Thomas Dewitt Cuyler, chairman of the Association of Railway Executives, declared yesterday.

Cuyler acted as spokesman for the association, members of which have been holding a series of meetings here. They claim to represent 94 per cent of the railroad mileage of the country.

The executives said a guarantee of the present rental paid by the government for a reasonable period will be necessary to enable the companies to give the public the best kind of service.

They ask also for creation during 1920 of a substantial loan fund which will enable the companies to complete additions and betterments started during federal control.

The executives announced they are making their preparations for the return of the roads by the government March 1. They said they agreed upon the adoption of rules for the interchange of freight cars, to expedite the handling of traffic and continuation of the system of operating statistics established by the railroad administration.

Kansas Legislature in Session.

Topeka, Jan. 6.—A special session of the Kansas legislature today began the biggest job ever attempted by the state's lawmakers—the passage of a law which it is hoped will do away with industrial disturbances at all times.

130 NEW MEMBERS ON FIRST DAY

GOOD RESULT FOR FARM BUREAU SOLICITORS YESTERDAY.

GRAY HOLDS MEETINGS

State Farm Bureau Head to Address Numerous Gathering Over County During Week.

One hundred and thirty new members were added to the Nodaway county farm bureau yesterday afternoon during the first day's solicitation of the membership campaign on this week. This number was secured in about two hours work on the part of the solicitors. Some of whom did not arrived in Maryville until noon yesterday. Every farmer who was solicited during this time, added his name to the roll.

M. P. Ross, head of the extension department of the agricultural college, Missouri State University, who was in Maryville yesterday to aid in starting the campaign returned to Columbia last night.

Chester Gray, president of the state farm bureau, who is here for the week addressed a meeting last night in Jackson township and ten new members joined at this meeting. Fifteen new members had been secured in the afternoon making a total of 25 new members for Jackson township.

Mr. Gray held a meeting at Quitman this afternoon and tonight will address the Progressive Farmers club at a meeting held at the Common Sense school house in White Cloud township Thursday night Mr. Gray will speak at a meeting to be held at Costello hall, Conception.

J. T. Richey, of Iowa, one of the solicitors, will speak at a general meeting to be held tonight at Burlington Junction and there will be a meeting held Friday night at the Lorraine school house, near Burlington Junction, speaker to be selected later.

With the splendid success evident the first day of the campaign the goal of 2000 memberships for Nodaway county is assured. R. M. Roland, field man for the University extension department is also here for the week, to aid in the campaign.

ARCHBISHOP GLENNON HITS SEX BOOKS AND MOVIES

Depend Chiefly on Immortal Romances for Patronage—Many Regard the Question of Marriage as a Joke

St. Louis, Jan. 6.—Sex literature and the tendency of the modern picture shoy to depend chiefly upon immoral romance for patronage were assailed by Archbishop Glennon in a sermon at the new cathedral.

Lamenting that divorces are so easily obtained, the archbishop cited statistics to show that one out of eight marriages contracted in the state of Missouri leads to the divorce courts. He devoted another part of his sermon to the chaperon, who, he said, was regarded a nuisance, young people revolt against her ministrations.

"Young girls," he said, "spend their nights dancing immoral dances, half clothed. That is the dance of death to virtue and to happiness—the pace that kills. It may come to a matrimonial conclusion, but in the end it is fatal. You ask, 'what about the young men?' Whatever young men are, they will not be benefited by our young women not being the best.

"There also is much talk in the world regarding the wave of sex literature that prevails. All your romances in story books center on the subject. They are filled with incidents that are risque. At the end, they attempt to apologize for all their nastiness by a marriage.

"However, the picture show gets by where a book may be held up is immoral. What is worse, many of us—no better—regard the question of marriage as a joke, an experience, a very doubtful expedient, largely a lottery or a gambling device, wherein one may win or one may lose."

Ask Probe of Medal Awards.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Investigation of the awarding of honor medals to naval heroes by Secretary Daniels was ordered by the senate naval affairs committee today by a vote of 10 to 1. Senator Walsh, Democrat, of Montana, cast the only negative vote.

James Horton, living near Ravenwood, was in the city on business today

ST TE TEACHERS COLLEGE RESUMES WORK ON FULL TIME

All Curtailment Rules Made During Fuel Shortage Eliminated. New Pupils Entering.

The State Teachers college resumed work this morning after the holiday vacation. All classes are now occupying full time and all periods extend over their usual time. On account of fuel shortage, the hours were reduced for a couple of weeks previous to the holiday closing and all these curtailments are eliminated now. There is plenty of fuel to allow the college to run on full schedule.

Quite a number of new pupils entered today for the remainder of the year and more are expected to enter tomorrow.

A special musical program was given at assembly this morning and a talk by President Richardson.

SEE 27 STATES FOR WOMEN SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT

Five More Are Expected by the Woman's Party to Ratify Promptly Active Compaigns Cnducted

Washington, Jan. 6.—Prompt and in some cases immediate ratification of the federal woman suffrage amendment is confidently anticipated by the National Woman's party from the state legislatures of Kentucky, Rhode Island, Maryland and Mississippi, which meet in regular session today. Success in the New Jersey legislature which will meet January 13, also is believed certain.

Favorable action by these five states would bring the number of ratification to 27. In South Carolina and Virginia, where the legislatures will meet January 13, active campaigns are being conducted by the local leaders of the National Woman's party.

TROUBLE BETWEEN GOMPERS AND 4 R. R. BROTHERHOODS

Labor Circles Are Predicting an Open Rupture After the Pending Railroad Legislation Is Out of Way.

Washington, Jan. 6.—The relations between Gompers and the chiefs of the big four railroad brotherhoods were today near a breaking point. Labor circles are expecting an open rupture after the pending railroad legislation is out of the way. It is no longer a secret that Warren Stone, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers of the railways, was away from the Gompers conference with the railroad union heads last week to avoid a break at a time when unity in labor ranks is needed as never before. It is being predicted in labor circles that the proceeding for affiliation of Stone's organization and Brotherhood of Railroad Conductors with the American Federation of Labor is now held up by jurisdictional dispute.

PRESIDENT'S INTENTION TOWARD THIRD TERM STILL IN DOUBT

Chicago, Jan. 6.—The president may yet decide to be a third term candidate for the White House according to ex-senator Lewis of Illinois, former democratic whip of the senate.

THE "DRYS" HAVE WORK AHEAD

"Comeback" by Booze Will Be Fought at All Times.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Prohibition work in America is far from finished, according to promoters of "Prohibition Week," which begins here next Sunday.

"Dry" leaders expect the liquor question to be involved in politics for years, and one of the purposes of the coming convention is to prepare a defense against the return of the "wet" forces.

Records of all presidential candidates will be considered by the reform workers. If one of the candidates of the major parties is not "dry" enough the Prohibition party will be revived, it was said. The party was withdrawn from the field after eleven consecutive national campaigns for its own presidential candidate.

MISSOURI CLAIMS CHAMPION NEWSPAPER SUBSCRIBER.

St. Louis, Mo.—Missouri now has the champion newspaper subscriber of the world, it is believed, in Prof. W. H. Lynch of the Southwestern Missouri State Teachers' College, who wears an A. M. behind his name and came down to St. Louis from his home in Springfield to attend the convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Prof. Lynch declared he takes 117 daily newspapers and reads them all.

J. W. Morris of St. Joseph arrived in Maryville at noon for a short visit.

CHOSE DELEGATES FOR FARM WEEK

COUNTY COURT MAKE SELECTION FOR FARMERS MEET AT COLUMBIA

WILL MEET JANUARY 19-24

Many Prizes to be Given at the Corn Show to be Held In Connection With the Meeting.

The county court at their meeting this afternoon selected a delegate and alternate from each township to attend Farmers Week at Columbia from January 19 to 24. The following were chosen:

Atchison township—W. P. Lemon; alternate, H. E. Bancroft.

Grant—George Daniels; alternate, Joe Eaton.

Green—Jobe Williams; alternate, Joe Carden.

Hopkins—Bob Houston; alternate, Sam Robbin.

Hughes—Pierce Fleming; alternate, S. Hayzlett.

Independence—George Hepburn; alternate, Tom Hogan.

Jefferson—J. F. Lager; alternate, C. C. Farnan.

Jackson—Emmett Bishop; alternate, Mark Heflin.

Lincoln—Ova Bradley; alternate, Edgar Carlson.

Monroe—Aaron Linville; alternate, William Hitchcock.

Nodaway—Hubert Corken; alternate George Alexander.

Polk—Roy Lippman; alternate, John R. Evans.

Union—Charles Suttle; alternate Omar Strong.

Washington—Dave Reynolds; alternate, Hugh Whiteford.

White Cloud—Lee Burns; alternate, Ed Crain.

Columbia, Mo.—Twenty prizes, including gold watches and gold medals, will be awarded during the annual state corn and grain show which will be a part of the annual Farmers' week at the university of Missouri, starting January 19. These will be awarded as sweepstakes and championship premiums.

The final feature of the week always popular with the hundreds of Missouri farmers who come to Columbia, will be the banquet which will be held in Rothwell Gymnasium on Friday. As nearly as possible everything that is placed on the banquet tables will be a product of the university.

The thrift course of the Home Economics department will be another especially important part of the week's program. Beginning Wednesday morning of Farmers' week, the family budget will be discussed and demonstration talks on buying clothing and food will be made. New labor saving devices one of which is know nas the pressure cooker, will be explained.

Hundreds of inquiries come every year to the agricultural experiment station concerning the practice of sweetening soils with limestone. A demonstration of limestone grinding and spreading will be made the first after noon of Farmers' week.

Farmers of Jasper and Newton counties have chartered a special pullman coach in which they will travel to Columbia and use as sleeping quarters during Farmers' week.

League Will Be Up in Campaign.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Any reservations agreed on as a basis of the ratification of the peace treaty will not prevent most of the questions of the entry of the United States into the proposed league of nations being made one of the principal issues of the presidential campaign, Senator Borah, Republican, of Idaho, declared this afternoon. Borah served notice he intended to carry the treaty fight before the voters of both the Republican and Democratic parties.

Visiting Bellows Families.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dilling and daughters Margaret and Helen May, of Seattle, Wash., arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bellows and the other Bellows families Mr. Dilling is an uncle of C. D. and Fayette Bellows and he and his family have been visiting relatives in the east before coming here.

Returns to College.

Miss Virginia Robinson left last night for Fulton, Mo., to resume her studies in William Woods college, after a holiday vacation spent in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Robinson.

FLOODS FOLLOW QUAKE IN MEXICO—MANY DEAD

Numerous Villages Wiped Out in State of Santa Cruz With Heavy Loss of Life.

Mexico, City, Jan. 6.—Floods have followed the earthquake in eastern Mexico, causing many casualties. The flood of the San Francisco river in the state of Vera Cruz has been especially severe, wiping out many villages. The waters are dotted with many corpses and the official reports show the loss of life to be more extensive than originally supposed.

FEDERAL AGENTS HOT AFTER PROFITEERS HIKING H. C. L.

Dealers Charging Excessive Prices Will be Rounded up In Nation Wide Campaign.

Washington, Jan. 6.—The department of justice within the next three days, will launch a nation wide campaign against profiteers who are responsible for the high cost of living. Practically the entire personel of the bureau of investigation which has been released by the general clean up of "reds" will be used to make arrests of dealers who are charging excessive prices.

GERMANY TO BLAME FOR "RED" MOVEMENT

Charged That German Money Was Responsible for Labor Troubles in July.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Germans, if not Germany, are among the ringleaders of the "red" movement in the United States and allied countries. Proofs of this are in the hands of the department of justice here. In France, during the July labor troubles, the charge was openly made that German money was to a large extent responsible. The idea, it was said, was to bring about a revolution if possible and failing in that to cripple France industrially so as to allow Germany to get the lead of the business following the war.

GAYNOR YOUNG FOLKS TO GIVE PLAY SATURDAY NIGHT

There will be a play given Saturday night, Jan. 10, at the Gaynor Methodist church, entitled "A Case of Suspension." The proceeds of the play will go to the piano fund. The characters in the play are; College girls, Miss Ruth Barton, Miss Grace Cooper, Miss Dorothy Hepburn, Professor Edgerton, Harry Lett; college boys, Merlin Munn Elvin Munn, Loren Boyd; Miss Judkins matron, Miss Carol Johnston; Kathleen, a maid, Miss Neva Munn; Jonas, a man of all work, Louis Sparks. An admission of fifteen and twenty five cents will be charged.

MARYVILLE H. S. GIRLS PLAY HOPKINS B. B. TEAM

There will be a game Friday night played on the State Teachers college court, between the Maryville high school girls basket ball team and the Hopkins H. S. girls team. This is the second outside game played by the girls this season.

Miss Smith Returns

Miss Eleanor Smith returned yesterday afternoon from San Antonio, Tex., where she spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Smith, and sisters, Misses Stella and Francis Smith. Another guest at the Smith home during the holidays was Miss Geneva Wilfley of Oklahoma City Okla.

Harvey Haines to Kansas.

Harvey L. Haines left yesterday afternoon for Eldorado, Kansas, to spend several days visiting his brother, Forrest Haines and family.

Visiting at Hopkins

Mrs. Harold Bellows of Chicago, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink, went to Hopkins today to spend the day the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolfers.

Weather for Today

Rain or snow tonight and Wednesday.

BIG ROAD-BUILDING PROGRAM FOR 1920

WORK FACILITATED BY FEDERAL ROAD ACT AMENDMENT.

BILLION DOLLAR FUND

During the Present and next Fiscal year a big Fund will be Available for use.

Washington, D. C.—The greatest road building program in the history of the country is now under way and will extend throughout the year 1920 according to David F. Houston, Secretary of Agriculture, in whose department is the federal good roads bureau.

Secretary Houston says road work has been facilitated and much impetus given the good roads movement by the amendments to the Federal aid road act. These amendments were adopted during the Sixty fifth congress, which was under Democratic control.

Discussing the nation wide campaign for better roads, which are made possible by Federal aid in conjunction with the states, Secretary Houston says

"It is interesting to note that up to July 1, 1919, "state bond issues aggregating $224,800,000 had been authorized and approved by popular vote and that provision has been made for voting next year on proposals for the issuance of additional state road bonds to the extent of approximately $314, 000,000. During the present and the next fiscal year there will be made available for road improvement at least one billion dollars. Certainly few laws, if any, have produced greater results, either in terms of expenditure for a good purpose or in terms of helpful legislation and machinery, than the Federal aid road act.

"It seems clear, in the circumstances that the principal limiting factors in the 1920 program will be those of rail transportation for, and production of, suitable road material, the contractors organizations available, and the labor."

Secretary Houston says the 1919 program for road building was greater than any preceding year and was so great, in fact, that many of the states must postpone until 1920 the expenditure of Federal funds simply because it is necessary to develop experienced contracting and engineering organizations from the stagnant condition brought about by the war.

Under the terms of the Federal road act the apportionment to a state for any one fiscal year remains available for expenditure until the end of the succeeding year. It is estimated at the Department of Agriculture that the funds already provided and allotted will be sufficient to finance next year a program more than four times great as that any that has been undertaken.

Amendments to the Federal road act which the Sixty- fifth congress approved are explained, in brief, in increase from $10,000 to $20,000 per mile the amount of Federal funds that may be expended by one road and to broaden considerably the definition of what constitutes a rural post road.

Under the original wording the law Federal funds could be expended only on roads upon which the United States mails 'now are or may hereafter be transported.' This feature was the most troublesome to the highway departments of the several states and caused delays because it required the determination in each instance of the exact post-route status of the road.

Under the amendment very few, if any, important roads will be debarred from receiving Federal aid if other requirements of the law are met. This amendment provides that aid may be extended to "any public road a major portion of which is now used, or can be used, or forms a connecting link not to exceed ten miles in length of any road or roads now or hereafter used for the transportation of the United States mails."

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Linneman announce the birth of a son December 1, whom they have named, Henry Francis.

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Will Visit in West.

Guy Shelton, who bought the Walter Mendenhall residence property recently, will move to same in about two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Mendenhall and two sons expect to make an extended visit in the west. They will probably spend the remainder of the winter in southern California, and will visit relatives at Los Angeles, Longmont, Col., and Ness City, Kan., before returning to Burlington Junction.—Burlington Junction Post.

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"At this hour, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, there is not a bread line or public soup kitchen."

The foregoing words quoted were uttered by George M. Reynold's, president of the Continental and Commercial National Bank of Chicago, perhaps the second largest banking institution in the country.

Mr. Reynolds was talking to a staff correspondent of the Washington Star, who was visiting Chicago to ascertain the business situation and to gain the views of thoughtful men upon the treaty, politics and kindred subjects.

George M. Reynolds, is a Republican and in recent years has been a heavy contributor to the Republican campaign fund. But his quoted words indicate that he is not so much a partisan that he will not admit an obvious truth, which is that America never was so prosperous.

It is not to be supposed that Mr. Reynolds' intended to deprive the Republican political leader of their old time campaign croy that Republican success means the full dinner pail. The fact is, however, he did that very thing and it is significant that with in a few days after the appearance of the Reynold's interview Republican chieftains announced the full dinner pail would not be numbered among the G. O. slogans in 1920.

"The great mass of the people are prosperous and contented," was another utterance the Washington Star correspondent credited to Mr. Reynolds. Proof of this fact was found on Christmas Day when charitable organizations throughout the nation were unable to muster hardly a corporal's guard to partake of bounteous spreads provided for the poor.

Commenting upon the absence of the bread line, the New York World, in a Christmas editorial said:

"Not in many years, if ever, has the number of homeless and destitute persons been so small as this winter. It is an encouraging condition. Plenty of work and good pay is the general rule. With few exceptions, the cases of idleness are those who refuse opportunities to work or ,belong to the class of chronic lazy whom neither pride nor self respect can urge to earn a decent living. Short of bad health or hard luck, the man out of a job and walking the streets can hope for little sympathy."

Accepted Call to Turlock.

Rev. C. R. Moore who has been pastor of the Christian church at this place since last March, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Christian church at Turlock, Cal., and expects to leave in a few days for that place. His car of household goods will go Monday.

Mr. Moore is a native of California and spent many years in the ministry in that state. He came to the middle west five years ago and was located in Iowa before accepting the call to Burlington Junction. The best wishes of the family's friends go with them to their new home.—Burlington Junction Post.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our appreciation and thanks to our kind friends and neighbors for their kindness and assistance rendered during the illness a death of our father and uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith
and daughter.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Turpin 6*

GOOD ADVICE FOR YOUR EYES.

If you are sick and know what ails you, go to any drug store, the druggist will advise you the kind of medicine to buy. It may do you good. His services are free. If your eyesight fails and you know what is the matter with your eyes you can go to a store where they sell glasses. The dealer will test your eyes and sell you glasses They may help you. His services are free. But if you are sick and dont know what is the matter with you, call on an efficient doctor practicing medicine. He will cure you. If your eyesight fails, you don't know why they have failed. you have no way of knowing unless you have been a student of an optical college. Call on an efficient doctor of optics. He will carefully examine your eyes and fit them with glasses which will restore your vision and cure headache, if it is caused by eyestrain. John LeGrand Baker, exclusive, efficient doctor of optics, of Maryville, Mo. —ADV.

SUGAR BAN GOOD FOR HEALTH, DAYTON DOCTOR SAYS

Percentage of Illness Has Fallen Off Since Rationing Has Been in Effect.

New York.—The shortage of sugar and the resulting "rationing" of this commodity is declared really desirable and most beneficial to the public health by Dr. George Keller Bickford of Dayton, Ohio, who was at the McAlpe hotel here. The percentage of illness in families, particularly where there are babies, he said, has fallen off since the present ban on unrestricted use of sugar.

"It is highly gratifying," he said, "to find, as I have found in my two months' tour of the East, that in the larger hospitals every time there is a sugar curtailment there are fewer patients admitted each day, particularly in the baby wards."

Beards in Fashion at Jeff City.

Jefferson City, Mo.—Beards will be in fashion among Missouri law makers state officials and private citizens of the state capitol if threats of boycotts against local barbers, following the increase of the price of a shave from 20 to 25 cents are carried out. The barber's union insisted on price increases, despite the protests of shop proprietors. The cost of the haircut was raised from 40 to 50 cents. A big increase in the sale of safety razors has been noted.

Edward Sapp Injured.

Edward Sapp and his sister Miss Nellie of the Harmony vicinity had quite an accident last Friday as they were trying to make the evening train at Ravenwood when a short distance west of the Howard Beedle home, they met and collided with a runaway team belonging to Fred Buck. The occupants were thrown to the ground and Mr. Sapp received a severe cut about the head, which necessitated the attention of a physician. Miss Nellie was uninjured.—Ravenwood Gazette.

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A Cabinet of Changes.

"A Cabinet of Changes", sneers our young friend Harvey's Weekly apropos of the prospective retirement of Franklin K. Lane, and "there is still time for several more changes.

How differently things were ordered in those dear Roosevelt days! Wilson has had two secretaries of state and Roosevelt had only three, comments the New York World in a recent editorial. Wilson has had one Secretary of the navy and Roosevelt had only six. Wilson has had one Secretary of the Interior and Roosevelt had only two. Wilson has had two secretaries of war and Roosevelt had only three. Wilson has had one Postmaster General and Roosevelt had only five. Wilson has had as many attorneys General as Roosevelt and two secretaries of the treasury to Roosevelt's three.

During the Roosevelt Administration there were nine departments of Government and twenty nine more or less distinguished statesmen wandered in and out of the cabinet, and only one of them managed to survive both of the Roosevelt adminstrations. But it is the Wilson cabinet, of course, that is a "Cabinet of changes."

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The well-known brand Setsnug Ladies' Union Suits is a heavy weight fine combed cotton yarn, fleecy back, made high neck, long sleeves, ankle length. These garments are very cheap on today's market at $2.25 and $2.50 each, but during this Great January Clearance Sale, they will be closed out at, per suit, only **$1.69.**

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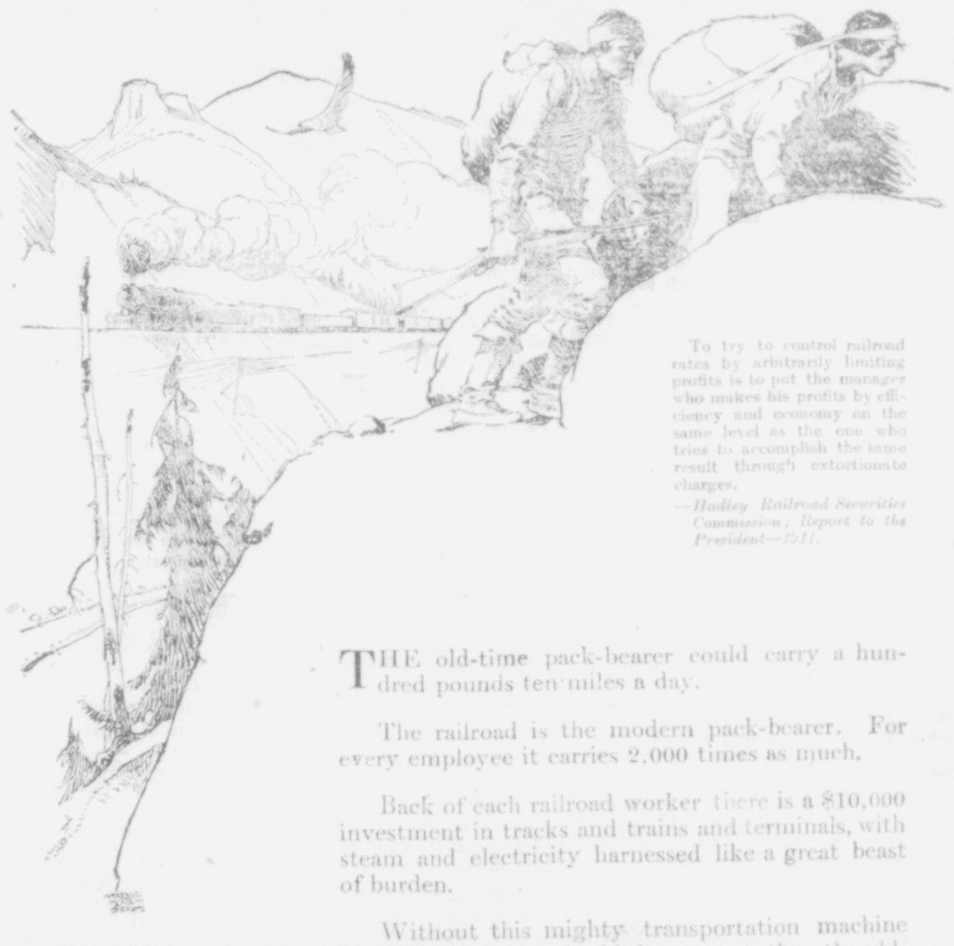
The Store Quality and Low Prices Built.



To try to control railroad rates by arbitrarily limiting profits is to put the manager who makes his profits by efficiency and economy on the same level as the one who tries to accomplish the same result through extortionate charges.

—Hadley Railroad Securities Commission; Report to the President—1911.

THE old-time pack-bearer could carry a hundred pounds ten miles a day.

The railroad is the modern pack-bearer. For every employee it carries 2,000 times as much.

Back of each railroad worker there is a $10,000 investment in tracks and trains and terminals, with steam and electricity harnessed like a great beast of burden.

Without this mighty transportation machine the railroad worker could do no more than the old-time packer. But with it he is enabled to earn the highest railroad wages paid in the world, while the country gains the lowest-cost transportation in the world.

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The investment of capital in transportation and other industries increases production, spreads prosperity and advances civilization.

To enlarge our railroads so that they may keep pace with the Nation's increasing production, to improve them so that freight may be hauled with less and less human effort—a constant stream of new capital needs to be attracted.

Under wise public regulation the growth of railroads will be stimulated, the country will be adequately and economically served, labor will receive its full share of the fruits of good management, and investors will be fairly rewarded.

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Social, Clubs Churches

Friday Afternoon Bridge.

Mrs. C. C. Corwin and Miss Mae Corwin have issued invitations to guests at bridge Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Sisson Entertains Club.

Mrs. Paul Sisson entertained the Tuesday afternoon bridge club this afternoon at the regular meeting.

Announce Meeting.

The Homemakers Circle of the Methodist church, South will be entertained at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. A. Peery, 910 West third street, with Mrs. R. C. Seal as assisting hostess.

Miss Pettigrew Entertains.

Miss Grace Pettigrew entertained the employees of the Eversole & Son store Sunday afternoon and night at her home in compliment to her sister, Miss Bertha Pettigrew, who left yesterday morning to resume her work at Platts Business College at St. Joseph. Her guests included Miss Pauline Wilson, Miss Dora Lockhart, Miss Edna Harmon, Miss Effie Willis and Miss Irene Swinford.

Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton gave a dinner Sunday at their new home, 1108 East Halsey street entertaining Miss Ruby Middleton, Miss Mary Kanney and I. N. Middleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice at Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rice arrived in the city yesterday from their honeymoon trip and will now be at home at their apartments at the Farrar residence, 107 North Buchanan street. Mrs. Rice was Miss Helen Minturn of St. Joseph, previous to her marriage to Mr. Rice on Dec. 22.

Mrs. Conley Hostess.

Mrs. Verlin Conley living east of Maryville was hostess to the Merry Mingiers club Thursday afternoon. Progressive dominoes was played with Mrs. Dale Marsh and Miss Eva Bagley winning the favors for high score. At the business session, the yearly reports were read and various other business matter were discussed. Miss Eva Bagley was received into the club as a new member. The hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. Lewis S. Wilson. Those present were Mrs. James Lacey, Mrs. H. J. Lind, Mrs. A. Marsh, Mrs. Dale Marsh, Mrs. J. B. Saunders, Mrs. Roy Schulte, Mrs. H. Smock, Mrs. Fred Wallace, Mrs. Lewis S. Wilson,, Misses Mina Armstrong, Eva Bagley, Laura Katheryn Conley, Minnie Jaeger Ine Lacey, Katheryn Mercer, Nettie Smock, Theresa Jeager, Verlin Conley, Jr., and James Lacey. The next mpeting will be held on January 15 with Mrs. H. Jaeger as hostess.

For Miss Boettner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Miles gave a charmingly appointed birthday surprise party last evening at their home on North Oak street for their niece, Miss Katherine Boettner of Roskport, Mo., who returned last night to resume her course at the State Teachers college after spending the holidays at Rockport with her parents. Progressive rook was played with Miss Marie Price and Merle Selecman winning the favors for high score. Mrs. Miles was assisted in serving a luncheon by Miss Miss Mary Sewell and Miss Abbie Bel Colden. The guests included Misses Mary Condon, Vi June Colden, Helen Dean, Lucile Wright, Blanche Alexander, Ruth Jones, Gladys Sewell, Abbie Bel Colden, Ella Farrell, Mary Sewell, Mildred Eckert, Marie Price, Bernice Farrell and Clifford Hull, Arthur Noid Francis Barmann, Emmett Bartram, Ernest Alexander, Merle Selecman, Frank Reddick, and Mitchell Welling

Burlington Junction Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Cummins of Burlington Junction entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday in honor of their son, Rev. Patrick Cummins of Conception, Mo., who spent the day with his parents. Places were arranged for Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tobin, Mr. and Mrs. John Messbarger, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cummins, Mr. and Mrs. J. Emmett Cummins, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cummins and baby son, James, Robert, Francis, Irene and Kathryn Tobin, Lawrence and Bernice Messbarger, Simon Ryan, Mayme and Gerald Cummins and the hosts.

Gave Party.

Misses Sarah, Thelma and William Garrett entertained Saturday night with a party at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garrett northwest of Maryville. The invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sorenus Jenson and son, Roy, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Meyers, Misses Gladys Thompson, Edna Meyers, Alena Holt, Irene, Leta and Dorothy Babb, Reah Shell, Nellie and Crystal Hall, Lola and Sarah Moore, Pearl and Verla McGinness, Josphine Jenson, Pearl Booth and Mildred Thompson; Morton and Dale Babb, Don and Eugene Hall, Walter Wilson, Luther Jenson, Glen , Tom and Rolla Adams, Hiland Thompson, Don Meyers Joe Holt, Milton Tilman, Thurman Ashford, Roland McGinness James Wagner, John Wesley Thompson, Lawrence Fink, Roland and Oren Garrett.

New Year's Party.

A surprise party planned for Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Kinder of Clearmont resulted in a surprise for the originators when a brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Gray of Butte, Mont., whom they had not seen for forty years were found at the Kinder home. The affair resulted in a reunion of the Gray family all six brothers and sisters and their families were present, who were Mr. and Mrs. John Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Morrell, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Blaine and family, Mr. and Mrs. George McDermitt, Mr. and Mrs. Okley Kinder and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pollick, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Kinder, Mrs. Sarah Johnson, Mrs. Ripley, Mrs. Mabel Moore, Allie May Johnson and Opal Pollock.

P. E. O. Chapter to Meet.

The P. E. O. Chapter will meet at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon with Mrs. F. M. Compton on North Main St. The meeting will be a study program with Mrs. C. C. Corwin leader.

Surprise Party.

Mrs. George Barber and Tom O'Day of Parnell were given a surprise party last night at the Barber home in Parnell in honor of their brithday anniversaries. The evening was spent in games, at the conclusion of which lunch was served. The company numbered sixty seven.

Dinner Party at Parkdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows will give a dinner this evening at Parkdale entertaining complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. George Dilling and daughters, Margaret and Helen May, of Seattle, Wash., who are visiting the Bellows families. The additional guests will be Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bellows, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bellows and Miss Nellie Douglas.

Sunday Dinner.

Misses Beulah and Verle Brown entertained at dinner Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brown of Casper, Wyo., Mr. and Mrs. Claire Brown of Alliance, Kan., Miss Arvetta Smith, Miss Irene Maxwell, Miss Marie Murray, Miss Ethel Wray, George Wray, Merle and Clifford Murray of St. Joseph and Walter Butcher of Elliston, Ia.

Cummins Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Emmett Cummins entertained at a dinner party Saturday evening at their country home near Burlington Junction, at which their guests were Rev. Father Patrick Cummins of Conception, Mr. and Mrs. P. Cummins, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cummins, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cummins and son, Simeon Ryan, Mayme and Gerald Cummins.

Club Meeting.

The W. N. Club met New Year's day at the home of Mrs. Charles West near Burlington Junction. This was an all day affair and the members of the club entertained their friends and families. In the morning a short program was given with recitations by Thelma Henry, Pauline Griffey, Hazel West and Iola Griffey. At noon an elaborate dinner was served. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Griffey, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Peery, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Griffey, Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Griffey, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Will Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Swaney, Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. Cooper, Misses Iola and Bernice Griffey, Thelma Henry, Hazel West, and Pauline Griffey, and Adrian West, Emery Griffey, Clifford Henry and Galen West.

Complimentary to the Colles.

Mrs. Frederick DeMoss entertained with a dinner party Friday evening at her home 222 South Walnut street complimentary to Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Colle, who left Friday night for St. Louis to make their home in the future.

"LEAGUE OF NATIONS" HAS ROUGH TIME AT WHITE HOUSE

First Tumulty's Airedale Objected Then Friend's Cat—Is Now Pet of Senator Borah.

Washington.—No dogs allowed!

This sign hangs out at the White House. If it didn't President Wilson might find himself swamped with canine gifts. It seems that everyone wants to give his best dog to the president.

The latest proffer of a canine gift was that of two Chinese Chow pups, which were offered to the president by P. T. Barnum, grandson of the famous showman.

When the president was abroad he was presented with a dog which was named "League of Nations," because its donor admired the work the president had done for the league of nations. The president gave the dog to Secretary Tumulty. Secretary Tumulty's Airedale wouldn't stand for the European canine. Secretary Tumulty gave "League of Nations" to a friend. The friend's cat objected to "League of Nations," and so the European doggie was presented to Mrs. William E. Borah, wife of the senator from Idaho.

Senator Borah is the original enemy of the league of nations, but he is a lover of animals, and little "League of Nations" is his pet, despite its name.

Country Life Facts.

"Country cured ham" is the best meat that ever was met.

Advertising is profitable to the farmer as well as the merchant and other business men.

The farmers should organize in every school district of every county—and organize now!

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WE ARE UNLOADING THREE THOUSAND SACKS this week and next and can again supply you in QUANTITY LOTS.

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Of course all good articles are imitated. But it's easy to tell THE GENUINE FANCY CREAM HIGH PATENT, as our name is on each sack in large blue letters.

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is money-saving time for you. You have been generous to your friends—be generous to yourself.

We are now making generous reductions in prices on many things needed by both men and women.

The economical housewife can now replenish her supply of SILVERWARE and save money.

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To owners of Dodge Brothers cars we offer authorized Dodge service, including repair parts of every kind.

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We are receiving Dodge Brothers Touring Cars and Roadsters and will be glad to take your order for spring delivery.

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A Profit Sharing Plan

We wish to announce that we have started a profit sharing plan, which is effective at once. With every purchase at this shop we give you a ticket specifying the amount of the purchase. This ticket system has been made possible by the installation of a modern National cash register. As soon as you have $10.00 in tickets return them to us and we will give you 25 cents in trade on anything in the shop. Or, in other words, this profit sharing system is on a 2½% basis.

In addition to this profit sharing system, the installation of this cash register will enable us to better our service to our customers. Besides handling the accounts and transactions quicker, we have reduced the possibility of errors to the lowest minimum. And as usual—

WE WILL KEEP THE QUALITY UP.

STAPLER'S

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Don't Depend on Spring Deliveries

Spring deliveries of Ford cars have never been certain, and they should not be depended upon. Demand has always been greater for Ford cars than the supply or production. So, if you would be sure of having a Ford car, buy it now while deliveries are possible. Don't wait—even next month is an uncertainty.

Only a limited, specified number of cars has been allotted to this territory. That allotment cannot be increased, because the demand all over the country is greater than the supply or production. Get your order in now, and you will be one of those who is sure of a Ford car out of our allotment.

It's first come—first served. All orders are filled in rotation. So, if you would be forehanded, if you would be certain of having a Ford car when you want it—then you will buy a Ford car now. A signed order with us is your protection. It is the result of the wisdom of looking ahead.

If you buy a Ford car now, don't think you have to "store" it. The Ford is a car made to serve its owner for business or pleasure throughout the entire year. Ford owners have long since come to recognize the fact. It is no longer popular to "lay-up" your car for winter. Buy a Ford car now, and use it now.

BARMANN AUTO CO.

New Year Customs of Olden Days —1920 Promises Better Things

By Emma Irene McLagan in St. Louis Globe-Democrat

When the year 1920 will have been ushered in just a few days hence the figures themselves will bear a promise of better things in store for this harassed old world in which we have to live Today it is time to send a hearty wis to all who may read these columns for a "Very, very Happy New Year," and that it may bring peace and prosperity with its changes from odd to even numbers. Never was 1919 nice to jot down; somehow it looked wrong; too many "nines" and some say that two is a better number, while the "naught" means that we can make it take place of our own favorite numeral.

Always New Year's Day brings a strange and entirely unfamiliar feeling that something has happened, even if nothing we can take hold of, except the elimination of one numeral and the substituting of another. Now we exchange 19 for 20, hich is so much prettier. The century is fast growing into maturer years, and wisdom should come with them as it does with humans; just an infant up to the end of its teens. We shall hope for sounder, more practical and helpful days in its next decade.

The fine, old fashioned idea of entertaining on New Year's Day seems to have fallen into innocuous desuetude in these prosaic times. "In days of old" it was such a charming custom. On that day matrons made ready their homes, invited bevies of youthful and attractive girls to "receive" with them. Rooms were darkened and lights turned on, ball gowns donned, flowers everywhere a man in evening dress stationed at the door with a basket to receive cards; carriage after carriage load of splendid looking, top coated, silk hatted, thoroughly groomed men calling to pay their respects to the girls assembled.

In an adjoining room, in full view through wide doors, the long table literally groaning with its burden of good things to eat and drink, the latter on a sideboard or buffet preferably, where sherry, madeira, bourbon, cognac, all in cut glass decanters, waited to be poured. Champgane iced to just the proper degree, with tall, slender stemmed glasses to hold its sparkle, all in readiness.

At one end of the table a whole ham baked with champagne poured over it, showed its rosy pink. At the other end an enormous turkey, apparently untouched, but so dextrously carved that it was ready to serve, and relays of hot biscuit, with every possible variety of sandwiches, constantly brought; sweet of course; bonbons, nuts and raisins, olives and in the center of luscious fruit cake, with its silver knife ready to serve bits of its delicious richness.

Not the custom, but its abuse, caused the change, and, of course, it is far better as it is now. There are still a great many old fashioned men of family who reserve to themselves the privilege of calling upon the matrons of their acquaintance. May this never die out!

Whether the change be for the better who can say? At all events, it is "other times, other manners," and as the world grows older we must try to believe that it is growing better.

For New Year's Eve a very delightful nd appropriate ceremony may be made of the "watch party," which gives the hostess of today a chance to offer her friends an evening of pleasure Dancing music, cards, are all means to that end and Christmas decorations being still in evidence, the rooms are gay with holly and smilax as well as the pearls of mistletoes hanging in clusters for the watchful gallant to snatch the coveted kiss when he can artfully entice his sweetheart under such a cluster. Just before midnight Father Time, with his hourglass and scythe, can enter one door, pass slowly through and make his exit at another just as the last stroke sounds. A pretty boy with the figures "1920" in gold on his broad sash enters by the first door, dances through the room smiling and greeting guests. The "New Year, the Good Year, the Welcome Year, is acclaimed with cheers and song.

Baking with an Electric Oven...

The use of electricity in baking is productive of the very best results for several reasons.

First, the heat may be regulated absolutely. You can turn the heat to any desired point and keep it there as long as you wish it, or you may start the oven very hot and then suddenly turn it down for roasting, or you may run it very low from start to finish for baking Angel food or other very light pastry.

There is no other fuel that you can do that kind of work with, and while you have learned to get good results by manipulation, still you know how vexatious wood or coal or oil is sometimes.

Then, with the automatic attachment you can set your oven so the clock will turn it on and when the desired heat is reached it will shut off automatically, so it is possible to bake bread without even being at home. Or you can get breakfast before you get up.

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WOMEN CHOSEN TO DIRECT COST OF LIVING CAMPAIGN

Attorney General Appoints Miss Edith Strauss to Teach Thrift to House Wives

Attorney General Palmer has appointed Miss Edith C. Strauss of New York to take charge of special work among women in the Government campaign against the high cost of living.

Miss Strauss will direct many of the educational activities of the Department of Justice wherever they concern the 35,000,000 women of the country who have the responsibility of spending the family income. It will be her duty to teach thrift to housewives as well as to give advice in regard to wise purchasing policies. In addition to her efforts to educate women in ways of conserving food and clothing, she will see that merchants who ignore fair price list schedules are prsecuted. One of her first duties was to address the wholesale dry goods merchants of New York on the objects of the government campaign to protect the public against profiteers.

Miss Strauss was connected with the foreign service of the Committee on Public information during the war and later was in Paris with the American peace commission. She is a young woman whose training and experience have especially qualified her for the line of government service to which she has been assigned by the attorney general.

M. P. GIVES TIPS ON HOW TO EARN $50,000 A YEAR

Three Types of Business Workers—One for Wages, Second for Salaries, Third Makes Income.

London.—C. F. Higman, M. P., gives the following tips on how to make yourself worth $50,000 a year.

Most healthy men and women were potential earners of $50,000 a year. But they waited for opportunity to knock at the door.

Be careful of your personal appearance. Dress simply and well. Many a man has missed his chance by having a dirty collar.

If your are out a job and have only $50 in the world, spend it all on dress.

Don't envy successful men, copy them.

Give up any idea of an 8 hour day.

Love your work and thing of it day and night.

Make mistakes.

Look prosperous—act "prosperous," be an optimist. Pessimists never get far.

Never break your word. The business world is ever on the lookout for reliable men.

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Woman Can't Find Words to Express Herself.

"After six years of suffering from stomach trouble I am feeling fine. All the bloating and soreness is gone from my stomach and bowels. I can eat all I like now. I can't think of any words suitable enough to praise Mayr's wonderful Remedy. I am sure it has saved my life." It is a simple harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Maryville Pharmacy and druggists everywhere. ADV.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of Mrs. Nancy McClelland Filler, who died at Monmouth, Illinois, at 11 o'clock a. m., on Friday, December 26th, was held on Monday, December 29th, at 2:30 p. m., from the residence of her son, D. O. Miller, 608 North Third street of that city. She was laid to rest by the side of her husband, F. M. Filler, who died July 9th, 1914. Interment was in the Monmouth cemetery.

Mrs. Filler was born in New Lexington, Ohio, April 11th, 1848 and was united in marriage to Francis M. Filler August 10th, 1867 and in 1870 moved to Missouri, returning to Monmouth in 1904. Mrs. Filler leaves four sons and one daughter to mourn her death. They are D. O. Filler, of Monmouth, Ill., Francis M. and S. Glenn Filler, of El Paso, Texas., T. Fred Filler of Berwyn, Ill., and Mrs. C. A. Smith, of Winston, Mo., all of whom were present at the funeral.

In addition to the above she leaves two brothers, William and Thom McClelland, of New Lexington, Ohio, and one sister, Mrs. Susan Glenn of Monmouth, Ill.

Mrs. Filler was a member of the M. E. church, to which she remained faithful to the end.

Obituary.

John W. Smith was born in Buchanan county, Mo., March 30, 1847, and departed this life January 4, 1920, age 72 years, 9 months and 5 days. He was married to Tabitha Turpin, Dec. 22, 1866. To this union were born two children, May Dell, dying in infancy and George T. with whom he has made his home since the death of his wife on May 7, 1911. The others left to mourn his loss are one grandchild, Atwood B. Smith, one sister, Mrs. W. P. Blaine of Manhattan, Kan., and two brothers, Joseph H. Smith of St. Joseph and Samuel M. Smith of Clearmont, Calif., A brother, Thomas E. Smith of Kansas City, and a sister, Mrs. J. W. Carter of Savannah, died about two months ago. Mr. Smith united with the Primitive Baptist church when a young man The funeral services were held Monday at 2 o'clock p. m. at the home of his nephew, Carl Turpin, conducted by the Rev. H. G. Stewart of Skidmore

Convert that stored furniture into cash. Case Furniture Store. 3tf.

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New 'Phone Manager Here.

L. V. Spiller, new manager of the Farmers' Mutual Telephone company, has arrived in Burlington Junction and is now in active charge of the office.

Mr. Spiller was for a time manager of the Mutual company in Mound City, but recently has been employed by the Independent company there. He has had wide experience in that work, and will undoubtedly prove an efficient man in this field.

Mrs. Spiller will join her husband after the first of the year and they will move to the residence property owned by Mrs. Kate Rundle.—Burlington Junction Post.

Senator Johnson to Open Campaign

San Francisco, Jan. 6.—Senator John son distinctly "peeved" left today for Washington to open his campaign after declaring the Eastern politicans are trying to "blanket him."

To California.

Mrs. Laura Watson and her sister, Mrs. Leslie Moore left this afternoon for Glendale, Cal., to spend several months visiting their sister and family.

Verne Dempsey Injured.

Verne Dempsey, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dempsey, living south of Maryville, was slightly injured Sunday afternoon, when a cartridge which he was removing from his gun, exploded and the bullet went through the flesh of his forearm.

Gerald D. Koger and J. Foster Linville went to Chillicothe Monday where they enrolled at the Chillicothe Business college.

U. S. Wright and W. J. Montgomery went to St. Joseph today.

BOX SUPPER AND SOCIAL

At the Happy Hollow school house Friday night, Jan. 9. The play, "Those Dreadful Twins," that was so successfully given at the Mozingo Valley school some time ago will be given.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

Classified "wants", one cent per word first insertion and one half cent per word for each subsequent insertion, no advertisement for less than.....25c

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

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FOR SALE—The Miss Agnes Protzman property, 2 lots, block south of hospital. Apply 208 South Saunders. 30-6*

FOR SALE—5 room cottage, modern except furnace. Ed Cassel, 515 S. Fillmore street, Farmers 216 D31J14*

FOR SALE—The Colden residence, 2 or 4 lots. Mutual phone 45-0-11 2tof.

FOR SALE—9 room modern home 5 blocks from P. O. on Main St. Address P. O. Box 115. 3-6*

FOR SALE—500 bu. of corn and some baled clover hay. Frank Roney, Farmers 20-23. 5-7*

FOR SALE—Choice Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels. Extra fine, $2.00 each. Mrs. F. M. Bagley, Farmers 16-20. 5-10*

FOR SALE—2 ton Velie truck; will trade for any kind of stock. Harrison Bros. 6-12*

FOR SALE—New Century feed grinder and 6 H. P. International gas engine. Rickman Bros., E. 6th St. 6tf.

FOR SALE—5 lots, near Normal, good 6 room house, electric lights, city water, well, cellar, chicken house, barn Address Mrs. Kate Ratcliffe, Savannah Mo., 6-13*

FOR SALE—Ford roadster. Linebaught & Caldwell. 6-8*

FOR SALE—4 late model Fords, second hand Fords bought and sold. E. A. Pence, Clearmont, Mo. 6-8.

FOR SALE—2 dozen Barred Plymouth Rock pullets, cheap if taken at once. 628 West 1st St. Far. 513. 6-8*

MISCELLANEOUS

PAINTING, Paperhanging and all kinds of interior wall decorating. Call Jas. Arnett, Han. 4428. N10-J10*

WANTED—All kinds of junk, will pay a special price for rags. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. D6tf.

I am now ready to make farm loans on short notice. C. P. Anderson Real Estate and Investment Co. D13 tf.

WANTED—Second hand furniture of all kinds. Case Furniture Store, 208 N. Main St. Phones Han. 530, Far. 310. D26J29

First class auto repairing repair and recharging storage batteries, auto accessories of all kinds, Ajax tires. We also weld all kinds of metal. Hilsbeck garage, Graham, Mo. 3tf.

WANTED—A few wood choppers. $2.50 a cord. C. T. Barrow. Far. 28-11. 3-6*

LOST—Crank from an Oakland auto Call Far 89-12. 3-6*

WANTED—A job on the farm by a man with family, for himself and boy or for him alone. Call Farmers 326. 3-6*

RAILWAY MAIL Clerks examination Jan. 17. Hundreds needed. $1300 -$1500. Age 18-35. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, write J. Leonard (former Civil service Examiner) 750 Equitable Bldg. Washington, D. C. 3-10*

MONEY TO LOAN—$500 to loan on Maryville real estate—also money to loan on farms. Chas. E. Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. 3-10.

AGENTS—$100 weekly possible introducing sensational new winter auto mobile fuel. Specially adapted to cold weather. Starts easy. Adds power, mileage and reduces operating expense Endorsed by thousand. Territory going like wildfire. Act quick. $28 sample outfit free. L. Ballwey, Dept. 1001 Louisville, Ky: 5-6*

WANTED—Lady to assist in house work, either full or part time. Call at this office. 5-7*

EXCHANGED Some one exchanged by mistake a black patent leather Hannon shoe at the Elks last Wednesday night. Owner may exchange for their shoe by calling at this office. 5-7.

LOST—Three keys on ring. Return to light office. Frank Weidner. 5-6.

WANTED TO RENT—A farm, grain rent preferred. Inquire at Democrat-Forum. 5-7*

WANTED—Place on farm by married man by the year. Experienced in farming. Call Democrat-Forum. 5-7

WANTED—Additional sales ladies. Inquire at Woolworth's 10c store. 6-9*

FOR RENT.

Furnished modern room for rent. 315 W. First St. 6-9*

U. S. SELLS 100,000 ACRES OF LAND IN ONE YEAR

Has Also Procured Restoration of Many Thousand Acres Obtained Under Fradulent Entry.

Washington, D. C.—The United States sold 104,721 acres of public lands during the year ending last June according to the annual report of the land office. Net returns from sales and other sources to the office controlling the nation's public lands were $4,303,674 and the expenses of the office were only $3,026,554. This office procured the restoration to the public domain of 164,363 acre, much of which had been obtained under fraudulent entry.

There were 11,871,181 acres of public and Indian land on which original entires and allowances were made during the year, representing an increase of nearly two million acres over the previous year, due principally to the stock raising homestead act of December, 1916.

Miss Alyse Swedberg returned today from a visit with friends in Omaha and Ashland, Neb.

MARKET REPORTS

Kansas City, Jan. 6.—Cattle receipts 13,000; steers, $9.30@14.75; cows, $6.00@12.00. Hogs, 22,000; top, $14.75, bulk, $14.40@14.65.

Kansas City, Jan. 6.—May corn $1.37⅛. July corn, $1.34⅝; September corn, $1.35⅝.

Chicago. Cattle 20,000; hogs $0,000; sheep 17,000.

St. Joseph. Cattle 3600, 10c lower; hogs 15,000, top $14.50, 50c lower; sheep 5000.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Springs
Hens
Eggs
Geese
Ducks
Butterfat
Hides
Old Cocks per lb.
Old Toms, per lb.

In the New Years Punch Bowl.

To many, sad is the plight of the New Years punch bowl! But we all agree that it must be filled, for the New Years dance with out the accompanying "bowl of nectar" would be no less than the murdering of a custom more sacred than Father Time himself. So as we move on, refresh your spirits with one of the following drink

Nectar of the Vine—½ glass juice from stewed raisins, ½ glass grape juice, cracked ice.

Pour the raisin and grape juice into a glass and add the finely cracked ice.

Raspberry Ginger Punch—1-8 glass juice from canned raspberries, section of grapefruit, slice of lemon, 1-2 glass ginger ale, slice of banana.

Mix the ginger ale and raspberry juice, add the fruit. If not sweet enough, add sugar syrup.

Raisin Grape Tea—2 teaspoons tea, 1 cup juice from stewed raisins, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 1 cup boiling water.

Make tea in usual way, pouring the boiling water over the tea. Cool while until very cold. Add the grape juice, raisin juice, lemon and sugar, serve in glasses.

Apple Ice Drink—Apple juice, grape ice, lemon.

Fill the apple juice in glass and add a few drops of lemon juice, a little cracked ice on top.

Raspberry Lemonade—1 cup water, ½ lemon, ½ cup raspberry juice, ½ cup sugar.

Boil the water and sugar, skim, when cold add the fruit juices.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Tonsing were St. Joseph visitors today.

J. O. BOLIN
AUCTIONEER

Will cry your sale for you any time. I know how and can get results.

Phone Barnard 2

Address, Mo.

PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm I will sell at Public Sale at my farm 5½ miles due north of Barnard, 1 mile south of Arkoe, ½ mile east of Bridgewater, on

Monday, January 12

Commencing at 10 o'clock, sharp, the following property, to-wit:

HORSES AND MULES—1 black mare, 8 years old, in foal by jack; 1 gray mare, smooth mouth, bred to jack; 1 bay mare, smooth mouth; 1 black mare mule colt, a good one.

COW—1 cow, 6 years old, a fine milker.

63 HEAD OF HOGS—Consisting of 3 high grade brood sows with pigs at side; 40 head of shoats, weighing from 160 to 175 pounds.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Deering mower, 1 hay rake, 1 riding cultivator, good as new; 1 walking cultivator, 1 14-inch stirring plow, 1 wheeled wagon, a good one; 1 spring wagon, good condition; 1 sa in fine condition, a bargain for some one; 1 hay rack, 14 ft., 1 bob 1 steel tank, 5 ft., 1 dozen pure bred Brown Leghorn hens; about 300 bushels corn, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Lunch by Ladies of Arkoe Church.

TERMS—$10 and under, cash. Over that amount 3, 6 or 9 months on bankable note at 8 per cent from date. No property removed until terms are complied with.

Hans From

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer. JIM SKIDMORE, Clerk.